

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In Re Application of: Rudi Wilfried Jan
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Application No.: 10/025,391

Filing Date: December 19, 2001

For: Apparatus For The Simultaneous Transfer Of Liquid Analytes

Confirmation No.: 4137

Group Art Unit: 1639

Examiner: Mark Lance Shibuya

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.137(b)**

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to the restriction requirement mailed on March 21, 2006, which set a 1 month/day period for reply. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply plus any extensions of time obtained therefor.

Applicant(s) undersigned attorney hereby states that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

The required reply and/or fee as noted above is attached hereto and applicant(s) request immediate reinstatement of this application upon granting of this petition.

- Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-3050 in the amount of **\$1500.00**.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment of the fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-3050.

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